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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
OFFICE ADJUTANT GENERAL,
Raleigh, January 1st, 1883.

To His Excellency, Governor THOMAS J. JARVIS:

SIR—I have the honor to make the following report for the year 1882:

The exhibits appended contain a register of the military force of the State, a statement of the receipts and disbursements of ordnance and ordnance stores, and other matters pertaining to the militia. All of which I respectfully commend to the attention of your Excellency and the General Assembly.

CHANGES.

During the year four companies of infantry disbanded, from one cause or another, namely, the Hornet Nest Riflemen, and the Charlotte Grays, of the 2d Regiment, and the Newbern Grays and Elm City Riflemen, of the 1st Regiment. The following new companies were formed and were armed and equipped by the State: The "Sampson Light Infantry," Clinton; "Reidsville Light Infantry," Reidsville; and the "Monroe Light Infantry," Monroe.

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THE LINCOLNTON RIOT.

The State Guard, or rather a portion thereof, was employed once during the year to aid the civil authorities. In Lincolnton, on the 13th and 14th of December, the "Southern Stars," Company B, 4th Regiment, Capt. Michael Hoke, commanding, aided the Sheriff of Lincoln county in arresting and placing in jail thirty-one negroes who had resisted the civil authorities and defied arrest. The company, to the number of thirty-two strong, responded in fifteen minutes after notice to the call of the Sheriff. The men were on duty several days, assisting in making arrests and guarding the town against threatened incendiarism. The men deserve much credit for their promptness, firmness and self-restraint in the discharge of their duties, and for their implicit and unswerving obedience to their officers and to the civil authorities. For a full, detailed account of the affair, I refer you to the report of Captain Hoke, appended hereto marked, "Exhibit F."

OBITUARY.

The Guard suffered loss in the death of General Manly, of the First Brigade, on the 15th day of May. He was an excellent officer, a good citizen, a brave man, a devoted North Carolinian; and his untimely decease is greatly deplored.

I have also to chronicle the death of Captain John M. Roberts, of the general staff, who died May 1st. He was an estimable, gallant gentleman, faithful and energetic in the discharge of duty and a favorite with all who knew him.

ORDNANCE.

Under the act of Congress, April 23, 1808, (Revised Statutes, U. S., sec. 1661,) appropriating the annual sum of

two hundred thousand dollars for arming and equipping the whole body of the militia, the State of North Carolina receives an annual quota of $4,797.85, in ordnance and ordnance stores.

From January 1st, 1870, to January 1st, 1877, the State received from the United States government, arms, &c., of the value of $52,312.24. And since January 1st, 1877, the State has received stores to the amount of $37,998.06. Thus it appears there is now in the hands of the militia, the military schools, and the penitentiary authorities, or at the arsenal, military property belonging to the State of the original value of $90,369.30. The care and preservation of this property involves much labor, difficulty and responsibility. An accurate, itemized statement of all the receipts and disbursements is required to be kept. The help of a clerk is needed to the proper discharge of this duty, and I respectfully suggest that provision be made for such clerical assistance as may from time to time be necessary.

The law requires the arms and equipments in possession of the militia and the schools to be inspected annually. (Acts of 1876–'77, chap. 272, sec. 18.) It is important that this be done: otherwise thousands of dollars' worth of valuable property must inevitably be damaged, lost or destroyed. Under the act above referred to, the expenses of such inspection are to be paid by the State; but this provision was repealed by the laws of 1879, chap. 240, sec. 10. Until some provision is made for defraying the travelling expenses of the inspecting officer, this duty cannot be performed in any other than a very imperfect and unsatisfactory manner. This expense need not exceed a few hundred dollars per annum.

I respectfully suggest that the attention of the Senators and Representatives in Congress from this State be called to the fact that an act of Congress, entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the army for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1876, and for other purposes," rati-

fied March 3d, 1875, provided that so much of the appropriation for arming and equipping the militia, between the 1st of January, 1861, and the 9th of April, 1865, under the act of April 23d, 1808, "as would have been used for the purchase of arms to be distributed to the several States that were in rebellion, shall be covered into the Treasury of the United States;" that under this act a charge was raised against the quota due the State of North Carolina of $23,-622.25; that the Chief of Ordnance has recommended that legislation be asked of Congress with the view of removing the injustice done our State, along with two or three others, by its enactment; and that the restitution of this lapsed quota is very desirable. It was lost through the failure of a former administration to make requisition for the amount due the State, under the act referred to, within the time prescribed by the statute; and it should be recovered, and can be, in all probability, if the proper effort be made.

I recommend the sale of the two batteries of artillery belonging to the State. Artillery companies cannot be kept up without great expense, and the State needs no cannon.

CONDITION AND STRENGTH OF THE FORCE.

The effective strength of the State Guard is about fourteen hundred men, organized in thirty-four companies; four regiments and one battalion of infantry. The companies are well armed and equipped. They have the same gun that is used by the United States Army—the latest pattern of Springfield rifle, bronze barrel, calibre 45.

Twenty-nine of the companies are composed of white men and five of colored men. The colored companies are located in Wake, Wayne, Cumberland and Chowan counties; the white, in Pasquotank, Chowan, Martin, Edgecombe, Beaufort, Lenoir, Wayne, Duplin, Sampson, New Hanover, Cumberland, Robeson, Anson, Union, Mecklenburg, Lin-

coln, Cleveland, Iredell, Rowan, Guilford, Rockingham, Forsyth, Orange, Durham and Wake.

The condition of the Guard, generally speaking, is very good—as good as can be expected, considering the fact that the State furnishes no aid and that the whole expense of maintaining the organizations and preserving the arms falls upon individuals. The force is composed, in the main, of as fine a body of men as can be found anywhere in the world. Strong proof of this is found in the fact that they have so long preserved their organizations intact, carefully kept the State property entrusted to them, and cheerfully performed all duties required of them, without receiving one dollar of assistance from either the State or Federal government. The material of the corps is splendid; there is no better anywhere for true manhood, genuine patriotism and all soldierly qualities. All that is needed to make them as fine a body of citizen-soldiery as any State in the Union may boast of, is some wise and generous legislation in their behalf.

NECESSITY FOR STATE AID.

The necessity for maintaining a well-regulated militia, such as the Constitution requires—an effective, well-drilled body of citizen-soldiers, designed for practical use, not ornament, and that shall at all times be at the service of the government, State and Federal, for the defence of country and for the suppression of lawlessness where the civil power fails, has been rendered too apparent by the experience of late years to admit of question or argument. Such a force is coming to be recognized by the thinking men of the country as an essential feature in every State government. In some States large sums of money are being expended on the militia. For valuable information on this point, I refer your Excellency to "Exhibit G" in the Appendix. From that it will be seen, for instance, that Maryland expended last

year for the support of her State Guard, $12,000; South Carolina expended $14,000; Rhode Island, $23,000; New Hampshire, $25,000; New Jersey, $63,842; Ohio, $73,800; Connecticut, $95,000; Massachusetts, $144,000; Pennsylvania, $220,000, and New York, $300,000.

These figures give us some idea of the value set upon citizen soldiers in a few of our sister States.

The State Guard of North Carolina, organized five years ago, under the act of March 12th, 1877, has been maintained up to this time by the men composing it and their friends in the communities where the companies are located. The time has come, in my humble opinion, when the State should assume a part, at least, of the necessary expenses of maintaining this organization. Should the General Assembly in its wisdom see proper to refuse to extend a helping hand, and the men who compose the Guard shall be told in effect that the State does not want their services and does not appreciate the public spirit that animates them, I am not prepared to say that North Carolina will have much longer what the Constitution seems to require for the security of the State, "a well regulated militia," or militia of any kind.

I do not advocate, nor do the troops ask for unnecessary or extravagant outlays of public money in their behalf. But some assistance from the treasury is absolutely necessary for the further maintenance of the force. All the men ask is such a just and reasonable recognition on the part of the State government of the obligations of service which they have taken upon themselves, as will enable them to keep up an organization sufficient in strength and efficiency for all the needs of the public, equal to any emergency likely to arise, and worthy the name, the fame, and the dignity of a sovereign State in the American Union. To reach a standard of excellence equal in many respects to that which distinguishes the troops of the leading States of the Union is the laudable ambition of both officers and men. To assist

them to attain such a degree of efficiency, by all legitimate and economical means, I humbly submit should be the present aim of the State government.

Your illustrious predecessor, in his message to the General Assembly of 1879, commended the State Guard as "the nucleus of an excellent volunteer militia organization;" he remarked that "the great majority of them are excellent, industrious young men, the flower of the communities where they live;" he gave it as his opinion that "in case of emergency they would be *invaluable* for maintaining order and enforcing the laws;" he said that "the State Guards really do all the duty and fill all the functions of the whole militia contemplated in the Constitution," and that "*they should be encouraged and supported liberally.*"

LEGISLATION NEEDED.

For the maintenance and improvement of the State Guard I respectfully suggest that the existing militia law be amended as follows:

1st. To provide for annual encampments of the entire force for a period of six days in each year.

2. To provide for the payment of armory rents, either by the state or by the counties and municipal corporations wherein the companies are located.

3rd. To provide a fund for each company for the purchase and repair of uniforms, and for other necessary expenses.

4th. To allow each brigade headquarters $100, and each regimental headquarters $50 per annum, for stationery, postage and other contingent expenses incurred necessarily in the discharge of the duties.

The expenditure of twelve or fifteen thousand dollars per annum in this way would put the State Guard upon a permanent basis; place North Carolina more upon a footing, in respect to her militia establishment, with other prosper-

ous and leading states, and, in my opinion, would prove in the end a wise investment for the public good. Certainly the matter is worthy the consideration of those who have in keeping the safety, honor and welfare of the State.

I have the honor to be

Very respectfully

Your obedient servant,

JOHNSTONE JONES,

Adjutant-General of N. C.

(A.)

REGISTER

OF THE

MILITARY FORCES

OF THE

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF:

GOVERNOR THOMAS J. JARVIS.

STAFF OF THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF:

NAME.	RANK.	DATE OF RANK.	RESIDENCE.
Johnstone Jones.....	Adjutant General....	January 1st, 1877.....	Asheville.
Francis H. Cameron	Inspector General.....	March 25th, 1879.....	Raleigh.
P. E. Hines.	Surgeon General.....	October 17th, 1878.....	"
A. B. Andrews.....	Colonel and A. D. C.	January 1st, 1877.....	"
John N. Staples.....	" "	" " "	Greensboro.
I. A. Sugg.....	" "	July 26th, 1881.....	Greenville.
Harry Skinner.....	" "	" " "	"

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT:

Brigadier General JOHNSTONE JONES, Adjutant General.

NAME.	RANK.	DATE OF RANK.	RESIDENCE.
Peter F. Pescud, Jr...	Lieut. Col. & A. A. G.	January 1st, 1879.....	Raleigh.
Fred. A. Olds.....	Lt. Col. & Ord. Officer	August 1st, 1880.....	"

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INSPECTOR GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT:

Colonel FRANCIS H. CAMERON, Inspector General.

NAME.	RANK.	DATE OF RANK.	RESIDENCE.
Arthur L. Smith	Capt. & A. I. G.....	January 29th, 1880.....	Charlotte.

FIRST BRIGADE.

Brigadier General RICHARD D. HANCOCK.

STAFF:

NAME.	RANK.	DATE OF RANK.	RESIDENCE.
Washington Bryan...	Lt. Col. and A. A. G.	July 31st, 1882.....	Newbern.
E. R. Page.....	Capt. and A. D. C.....	September 17th, 1880..	Trenton.
C. D. Heartt.....	Major and Q. M.....	August 13th, 1878.....	Raleigh.
John L. Bridgers.....	Major and Com.....	September 17th, 1880..	Tarboro.
D. T. Tayloe.....	Major and Surgeon...	August 13th, 1878.....	Washington.
N. M. Jurney.....	Major and Chaplain..	December 30th, 1882	Beaufort.
George Slover.....	Maj. and Ord. Officer	" " "	Newbern.
Frank W. Hancock..	Captain and A. D. C.	" " "	"

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FIRST REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

Field and Staff:

NAME.	RANK.	DATE OF RANK.	RESIDENCE.
John W. Cotten	Colonel	December 7th, 1882	Tarboro.
Halcot P. Jones	Lieut. Colonel	" " "	Hillsboro.
D. N. Bogart	Major	" " "	Washington.
	1st Lt. and Adjutant		
	Capt. and Com		
	Capt. and Q. M.		
	Capt. and Chaplain		
	Capt. and Surgeon		

Company Officers:

NAME OF COM'Y	NAME OF OFFICER.	RANK.	DATE OF RANK.	RESIDENCE.
A.		Captain		Raleigh.
Raleigh Light	Edmund F. Smith	1st Lieut	Sept'ber 6th, 1881	"
Infantry.	Junius H. Mullins	2d Lieut	" " "	"
C.	C. W. Cason	Captain	June 10th, 1880	Edenton.
Albemarle	R. B. Perkins	1st Lieut	" " "	"
Guards.	M. H. Dixon	2d Lieut	" " "	"
	Frank Ward	Jr. 2d Lt	" " "	"
D.	J. E. Peterson	Captain	August 10th, 1881	Goldsboro.
Goldsboro	T. H. Bain	1st Lieut	May 1st, 1878	"
Rifles.	R. G. Powell	2d Lieut	August 10th, 1881	"
	D. W. Galloway	Jr. 2d Lt	" " "	"
E.		Captain		Hillsboro.
Orange Guards.	A. J. Gordon	1st Lieut	January 21st, 1878	"
	W. Anderson	2d Lieut	August 1st "	"
	E. Rosemond	Jr. 2d Lt	" " "	"
F.		Captain		Tarboro.
Edgecombe	Wm. C. Jeffreys	1st Lieut	May 20th, 1882	"
Guards.	J. Y. Paris	2d Lieut	" 10th, "	"
	John R. Staton	Jr. 2d Lt	June 4th, 1881	"
G.		Captain		Washington
Washington	Chas. F. Warren	1st Lieut	Sept'ber 23d, 1878	"
Light Infantry.	Edward Long	2d Lieut	" " "	"
	S. J. Jones	Jr. 2d Lt	July 12th, 1881	"
H.	N. H. Sebrell	Captain	January 8th, 1877	Hamilton.
Hamilton	M. I. House	1st Lieut	December 6th, 1878	"
Guards.	W. J. Clary	2d Lieut	May 20th, 1881	"
	J. P. Bogle	Jr. 2d Lt	" " "	"
I.	Julian E. Wood	Captain	December 6th, 1881	Eliz. City.
Pasquotank	Wm. J. Griffin	1st Lieut	" " "	"
Rifles.	E. F. Lamb	2d Lieut	" " "	"
	Alex. Wadsworth	Jr. 2d Lt	" " "	"
K.	Henry Tull	Captain	July 27th, 1881	Kinston.
Kinston		1st Lieut		"
Rifles.	B. F. Nunn	2d Lieut	August 24th, 1880	"
	G. E. Miller	Jr. 2d Lt	" " "	"

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THIRD REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

Field and Staff:

NAME.	RANK.	DATE OF RANK.	RESIDENCE.
James D. Glenn	Lieutenant Colonel	December 7th, 1882	Leaksville.
R. A. Foard	Major	" " "	Greensboro.
	1st Lieut. and Adj		
	Captain and Com		
	Captain and Q. M		
	Capt. and Chaplain		
	Capt. and Surgeon		

Company Officers:

NAME OF COM'Y	NAME OF OFFICER.	RANK.	DATE OF RANK.	RESIDENCE.
A.	John D Bureh	Captain	April 11th, 1881	Winston.
Winston	W. P. Benton	1st Lieut	August 3d, 1880	"
Light Infantry.	T. H. Pegram	2d Lieut	" " "	"
	Ed. H. Wilson	Jr. 2d Lt	" " "	"
D.	John C. Angier	Captain	August 7th, 1882	Durham.
Durham	W. A. Gattis	1st Lieut	" " "	"
Light Infantry.	Garland E. Webb	2d Lieut	" " "	"
	John A. McMannen	Jr. 2d Lt	" " "	"
F.	Neil Ellington	Captain	Mareh 29th, 1881	Greensboro.
Guilford Grays.	Jas. W. Forbis	1st Lieut	" " "	"
	W A. Gorrell	2d Lieut	" " "	"
	L. M. Michaux	Jr. 2d Lt	" " "	"
H.		Captain		Leaksville.
Roekingham	C. A. Reynolds	1st Lieut	August 24th, 1881	"
Guards.	John H. Dillard	2d Lieut	" " "	"
	E. T. Clarke	Jr. 2d Lt	" " "	"
I.	A. J. Ellington	Captain	October 19th, 1881	Reidsville.
Reidsville	John N. Watt	1st Lieut	" " "	"
Light Infantry.	R. M. Ellington	2d Lieut	" " "	"
		Jr. 2d Lt		"

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SECOND BRIGADE.

Brigadier General MATTHEW P. TAYLOR.

STAFF:

NAME.	RANK.	DATE OF RANK.	RESIDENCE.
N. H. Sprunt	Lt. Col. and A. A. G.	May 10th, 1882	Kenansville.
W. A. Cumming	Major and Q. M		Wilmington.
George H. Hall	Maj. and Ord. Officer		Rockingham.
R. B. Miller	Capt. and A. D. C		Shelby.
James B. Smith	Major and Com		Fayetteville.
Jno. D. Williams, Jr.	Maj. and Ins. of Rifle Practice		"
John K. Brown	Major and Engineer		Wilmington.
George G. Thomas	Major and Surgeon		Wilmington.
Rev. J. B. Cheshire	Major and Chaplain		Charlotte.
George W. Doyle	Captain and A. D. C.		Wilmington.

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SECOND REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

Field and Staff:

NAME.	RANK.	DATE OF RANK.	RESIDENCE.
Albert H. Worth	Colonel	January 30th, 1880	Fayetteville.
James S. Kenan	Lieutenant Colonel	December 7th, 1882	Kenansville.
E. F. McRae	Major	" " "	Shoe Heel.
Robert S. Huske	1st Lieut. and Adj.	April 20th, 1880	Fayetteville.
F. M. Caldwell	Captain and Com	February 11th, 1878	Charlotte.
W. T. Ennett	Captain and Surgeon	April 20th, 1880	Fayetteville.
A. A. Benton	Captain and Chapl'n	" " "	Charlotte.

Company Officers:

NAME OF COM'Y	NAME OF OFFICER.	RANK.	DATE OF RANK.	RESIDENCE.
A.	A. A. McKethan	Major	August 23d, 1877	Fayetteville.
Fayetteville	Ralph B. Lutterloh	1st Capt'n.	" " "	"
Independent	John A. McLaughlin	2d Captain	May 12th, 1879	"
Light Infantry.	W. F. Campbell	3d Captain	" " "	"
	John B. Broadfoot	4th Capt'n	" " "	"
B.	E. P. Powers	Captain	May 20th, 1879	"
Lafayette	W. S. Cook	1st Lieut	" " "	"
Light Infantry.	James W. McNeill	2d Lieut	" " "	"
	D. A. McMillan	Jr. 2d Lt	" " "	"
C.	John L. Cantwell	Captain	May 12th, 1881	Wilmington
Wilmington	R. H. Beery	1st Lieut	Sept'ber 20th, 1881	"
Light Infantry.	George W. Doyle	2d Lieut	" " "	"
	E. A. Oldham	Jr. 2d Lt	May 8th, 1882	"
D.		Captain		Kenansville.
Duplin Rifles.	William H. Williams	1st Lieut	July 25th, 1881	"
	N. W. Faison	2d Lieut	" " "	"
	James C. Cooper	Jr. 2d Lt	" " "	"
E.		Captain		Shoe Heel.
Shoe Heel	J. W. Campbell	1st Lieut	June 9th, 1880	"
Rifles.	N. M. McLean	2d Lieut	" " "	"
	J. A. Patterson.	Jr. 2d Lt	" " "	"
F.	W. L. Faison	Captain	June 30th, 1882	Clinton.
Sampson	James F. Murphy	1st Lieut		"
Light Infantry.	W. E Stevens	2d Lieut		"
		Jr. 2d Lt		"
G.	T. J. Caudle	Captain	February 22d, 1880	Polkton.
Anson Guards.	J. H. Burton	1st Lieut	Sept'ber 14th, 1878	"
	J. W. Gale	2d Lieut	January 6th, 1881	"
	M. L. Holmes	Jr. 2d Lt	" " "	"
K	John W. McGregor	Captain	April 12th, 1879	Wadesboro.
Anson Veterans	W. L. Steele	1st Lieut	Sept'ber 10th, 1878	"
	W. L. Powers	2d Lieut	" " "	"
	W. G. Huntley	Jr. 2d Lt	July 28th, 1880	"

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FOURTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

Field and Staff:

NAME.	RANK.	DATE OF RANK.	RESIDENCE.
W. H. Fitzgerald	Lieutenant Colonel	Deeember 7th, 1882	Monroe.
J. A. Younts	Major	" " "	Pineville.

Company Officers:

NAME OF COM'Y	NAME OF OFFICER.	RANK.	DATE OF RANK.	RESIDENCE.
A.	B. F. Logan	Captain	January 27th, 1877	Shelby.
Cleveland	W. L. Damron	1st Lieut	January 10th, 1879	"
Guards.	J. L. Webb	2d Lieut	October 26th, 1878	"
	W. S. Alexander	Jr. 2d Lt	January 27th, 1877	"
B.	Chas E. Childs	Captain	February 23d, 1880	Lincolnton.
Southern Stars.	R. H. Templeton	1st Lieut	July 17th, 1880	"
	T. J. Ramseur	2d Lieut	July 11th, 1878	"
	S. V. Gordon	Jr. 2d Lt	July 17th, 1880	"
C.	John S. McRorie	Captain	Dec'ber 21st, 1882	Statesville.
Iredell Blues.	Jacob Wallaee	1st Lieut	June 24th, 1880	"
	J. H. Hoffman	2d Lieut	Sept'ber 14th, 1880	"
	A. M. Vannoy	Jr. 2d Lt	" " "	"
D.		Captain		Monroe.
Monroe	J. E. W. Austin	1st Lieut	June 15th, 1882	"
Light Infantry.	W. N. Clyburn	2d Lieut	" " "	"
	W. T. Brazington	Jr. 2d Lt	" " "	"
F.	Theo. Parker	Captain	June 10th, 1880	Salisbury.
Salisbury	Jas. W. Rumple	1st Lieut	October 12th, 1882	"
Rifles.	J. L. Brown	2d Lieut	" " "	"
		Jr. 2d Lt		"
H.	W. J. McLaughlin	Captain	May 10th, 1881	Sugar Creek.
Mecklenburg	N. S. Alexander	1st Lieut	" " "	"
Riflemen.	J. K. Alexander	2d Lieut	" " "	"
	N. P. Liles	Jr. 2d Lt	" " 1880	"
I.		Captaln		Pineville.
Polk Rifles.	C. L. Torrence	1st Lieut	July 5th, 1880	"
	A. C. Williams	2d Lieut	" " "	"
	A. J. Kirkpatrick	Jr. 2d Lt	" " "	"

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FIRST BATTALION INFANTRY.—(COLORED.)

FIELD AND STAFF:

NAME.	RANK.	DATE OF RANK.	RESIDENCE.
Abraham Halliday...	Lieutenant Colonel...	December 7th, 1882....	Fayetteville.
George L. Lane.....	Major.....	" " "	Raleigh.
.....	1st Lieut. and Adj't...	.....	.....
.....	Captain and Com.....	.....	.....
.....	Captain and Q. M.....	.....	.....
.....	Capt'n and Chaplain	.....	.....

COMPANY OFFICERS:

NAME OF COM'Y	NAME OF OFFICER.	RANK.	DATE OF RANK.	RESIDENCE.
A.	Calvin M. Dunston...	Captain....	Febr'ry 27th, 1879	Raleigh.
Oak City Blues.	A. W. Grant.....	1st Lieut...	" 18th, 1881	"
	F. P. Thomas.....	2d Lieut....	" " "	"
	Joseph Smith.....	Jr. 2d Lt...	" " "	"
C.	.....	Captain....	.....	Fayetteville.
Howard	G. T. Potts.....	1st Lieut...	Sept'ber 13th, 1882	"
Light Infantry.	A. L. Robinson.....	2d Lieut....	" " "	"
	Thomas, Williams.....	Jr. 2d Lt...	" " "	"
E.	Green Everett.....	Captain....	Dec'ber 3d, 1877....	Goldsboro.
Goldsboro	Frank Smith.....	1st Lieut...	June 20th, 1878.....	"
Vance Guards.	H. C. Canady.....	2d Lieut....	Dec'ber 3d, 1877....	"
	Isaac P. Patterson....	Jr. 2d Lt...	Febru'y 12th, 1878	"
F.	.....	Captain....	.....	Raleigh.
East Raleigh	Jas. Smith.....	1st Lieut...	November 3d, 1879	"
Guards.	Wm. Thompson.....	2d Lieut....	March 20th, 1881...	"
	E. J. May.....	Jr. 2d Lt...	July 8th, 1880.....	"
G.	J. W. Draper.....	Captain....	July 15th, 1879.....	Edenton.
Chowan	J. L. Gregory.....	1st Lieut...	" " "	"
Guards.	Geo. W. Lane.....	2d Lieut....	" " "	"
	Austin Gregory.....	Jr. 2d Lt...	" " "	"

B.—STATEMENT OF ORDNANCE AND ORDNANCE STORES ISSUED DURING 1882.

TO WHOM ISSUED.	Cadet Rifles, Cal. 45.	B. L. Rifles, Cal. 45.	B. L. Rifles, Mod. '68	B. L. Rifles, Mod. '66	M. L. Rifles.	Officers' Swords.	Cartridge Boxes.	Bayonet Scabbards.	Waist Belts.	Waist Belt Plates.	Gun Slings.	Ball Cartridges, Cal. 45.	Ball Cartridges, Cal. 50.	Blank Cartridges, Cal. 45.	Blank Cartridges, Cal. 50.
Guilford Grays						1	40					300		300	
Rockingham Guards													500		500
Pasquotank Rifles													1,000		
Raleigh Light Infantry	40											1,000		260	
Oak City Blues													100		
Union Home School										40			100		340
Hornet's Nest Riflemen														1,000	
Mecklenburg Riflemen															500
Iredell Blues														600	
Southern Stars												1,000		500	
Rutherford College			40				40	40	40						
East Raleigh Guards													300		100
Sampson Light Infantry		40					24	29	12	40		500		300	
Horner School			40				40	40	40	40	40				
Durham Light Infantry													540		400
Wilmington Light Infantry													420		240
Bingham School	20						255	256		150				1,000	
R. D. Hancock												1,000	1,000		
M. P. Taylor												1,000	1,000		
Monroe Light Infantry		40				4	40	40	40	40		200		200	
Reidsville Light Infantry		40				4	40	40	40	40		200		200	
Howard Light Infantry													200		200
LaGrange Military Academy				60			50	50	50						
State Target Practice at Fair												500			
Hermann, Boker & Co				50	95										
Totals	60	120	80	110	95	9	529	490	222	250	40	5,700	5,460	4,060	2,680

STATEMENT OF ORDNANCE AND ORD-

OF WHOM RECEIVED.	Cadet Rifles, Cal. 45.	B. L. Rifles, Cal. 45.	B. L. Rifles, Mod. '68.	B. L. Rifles, Mod. '66.	M. L. Rifles.	Officers' Swords.	Cartridge Boxes.	Bayonet Scabbards.	Knapsacks.	Haversacks.	Canteens.	Tin Cups.	Knives.	Forks.	Spoons.	Meat Ration Cans.	Blanket Straps, Pairs.
On hand.....	...	10	47	4	73	...	80	56	366	366	396	291	291	291	291	366	366
United States..	...	85	...	.....	.....	20	400	400	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Henderson Light Inf'try	...	.....	40	.....	.....	...	40	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raleigh Light Infantry.....	...	40	1	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Carolina Military Instit,te	60	.....	...	.....	.....	...	60	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Polk Rifles.....	...	.....	...	50	.....	...	.....	46	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
L. Craig.....	...	.....	...	.....	29	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bingham School.	..	.....	...	.....	.....	...	110	110	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jarvis Light Infantry.....	...	.....	...	60	.....	...	50	50	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals.....	60	135	88	114	102	20	740	762	366	366	396	291	291	291	291	366	366
Issued.....	60	120	80	110	95	9	529	490	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
On hand.....	...	15	8	4	7	11	211	272	366	366	396	291	291	291	291	366	366

NANCE STORES RECEIVED DURING 1882.

Sabres, Cavalry.	Sabre Belts and Plates.	Waist Belts.	Waist Belt Plates.	Carbines.	Gun Slings.	Ball Cartridges, Cal. 45.	Ball Cartridges, Cal. 50.	Ball Cartridges, M. L.	Blank Cartridges, Cal. 45.	Blank Cartridges, Cal. 50.	Shells, 12 pounder.	Shells, 3 inch Rifle.	Canister, 12 pounder.	Canister, 3 inch Rifle.	Musket Powder, pounds.	Reloading Tools, sets.	Pistols, Cal. 45.	Tool Chest.	N. C. O. Swords.	Friction Primers.	Cannon Powder, pounds.	Pistol Holsters.
45	41	134	469	1	...	4790	7250	2360	5230	6000	24	24	24	24	50	1	1	1	9	.....	.....	1
...	...	400	.....	...	...	10000	10000	.....	10000	10000	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	200	200	5
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45	41	724	509	1	40	14790	17250	2360	15230	16000	24	24	24	24	50	1	6	1	9	200	200	6
...	...	222	250	...	...	5700	5460	.....	4060	2680	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....
45	41	502	259	1	40	9090	11790	2360	11170	13020	24	24	24	24	50	1	6	1	9	200	200	6

General Orders Issued in 1882.

C.

NORTH CAROLINA,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT,
Raleigh, N. C., April 20, 1882.

[GENERAL ORDERS, No. 61.]

I. The twentieth of May this year is to be honored at Charlotte with imposing and attractive ceremonies befitting the occasion. The celebration is to take place under the auspices of the Hornet's Nest Riflemen, the Fire Department, and the Chamber of Commerce, of that City, and all necessary arrangements therefor are being perfected.

II. At the request of the Committee of Arrangements, the following programme is submitted to the officers and men of the State Guard for their information and guidance:

PROGRAMME:

1st. That Wednesday, the 17th of May, be spent in quartering all troops which arrive on that day.

2d. Thursday, the 18th, a procession will be formed at 9 o'clock, to assemble at a place hereafter to be decided upon and march to .... where the exercises will be duly opened with prayer by the Chaplain, to be followed by an address of welcome to visiting soldiery by the Mayor of the city. At the conclusion of the address the column will move to .... where the different rifle teams will contend for a prize to be awarded to the team making the best score.

3d. Friday, the 19th day, will be spent in a prize drill. The best drilled company (numbering not less than 24 men, 2 guides, 3 officers,) to be awarded such prizes as may be decided upon hereafter.

4th. Saturday, the 20th, the procession will form at 9 o'clock and will march to Independence Square, where the inspection of the North Carolina State Troops by the Governor and staff will take place. The procession will then move to ...., where speeches will be delivered by such persons as may be decided upon. At the conclusion of the speaking, the procession will be formed into line and move to Independence Square, where each company will be delivered to its commanding officers.

A Fireman's Tournament will take place between the Charlotte fire companies and the visiting firemen. A prize to be awarded the successful company.

Respectfully submitted,

E. F. YOUNG, Captain,
F. J. AHRENS, 1st Lieut.
G. T. COLEMAN, 2d Lieut.
E. T. HENDERSON, 2d Sergt.
Committee H. N. R.
C. F. HARRISON,
C. T. WALKER.
P. H. PHELAN,
Chief and officers C. F. D.

III. The various companies constituting the 1st, 2d and 3d Regiments, and the 2d Battalion of the State Guard, it is understood, have been invited to attend the celebration. It is earnestly hoped that the organizations will respond in large numbers, and unite with the Mecklenburg militia in again commemorating an event which constitutes so bright a gem in North Carolina's diadem of honor.

IV. Rates of transportation on the various railway lines approaching Charlotte will be announced hereafter. Quarters will be provided for all visiting troops, should tents not be obtained. Further information as to quarters, subsistence, transportation, the ceremonies, &c., may be had upon application to Capt. E. F. Young, Chairman of the Committee of Arrangements.

V. Troops attending the celebration will hold themselves in readiness for inspection and review by His Excellency, the Governor and Commander-in-Chief.

VI. The Commander-in-Chief desires in this connection to express his thanks to the officers and men of the Edgecombe Guards, Capt. H. K. Nash, Jr., and the Washington Light Infantry, Capt. D. N. Bogart, and to Lieut.-Colonel John W. Cotten, Commanding the battalion, for their prompt and cheerful response to his call, on the occasion of the disturbance at Plymouth, in the month of December of the past year. Their ready obedience to orders, patient endurance of hard ship, and soldierly conduct throughout the expedition entitle them to unreserved commendation, and justifies the belief that the State Guard may be relied upon implicitly in all emergencies demanding their services.

By order of the Commander-in-Chief:

JOHNSTONE JONES,
Adjutant General N.C.

NORTH CAROLINA,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT,
Raleigh, May 10th, 1882.

[GENERAL ORDERS, No. 62.]

General Matthew P. Taylor, of Wilmington, having been re-commissioned a Brigadier General in the North Carolina State Guard, is hereby assigned to the command of the Militia in the Second Military District, and will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By order of the Governor and Commander-in-Chief:

JOHNSTONE JONES,
Adjutant General N. C.

NORTH CAROLINA,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT,
Raleigh, May 17th, 1882.

[GENERAL ORDERS, No. 63.]

With profound regret, the Commander-in-Chief announces to the State Guard the death of Brigadier-General Basil C. Manly, which occurred in Raleigh on Monday, the 15th instant, at forty-five minues past five o'clock in the morning.

The death of this distinguished gentleman is much to be deplored, cut off thus in the prime of manhood and in the midst of his usefulness. The State, by this sad event, has lost a valued citizen, the Capital a worthy chief magistrate, the Militia an accomplished officer, and the First Brigade a beloved Commander.

General Manly's career as a soldier was, briefly, as follows: In 1861, he entered the service of the State as First Lieutenant in Ramseur's Light Battery. Subsequently he became its Captain, and commanded it with conspicuous ability and bravery in all the engagements in which it participated. Later he was made Major of Artillery, in which capacity he served with the army of Northern Virginia until the termination of hostilities.

After the restoration of peace, recognizing the importance of a well-regulated militia, General Manly was among the first to revive the military spirit in North Carolina. In 1874 he organized the Raleigh Light Infantry and was elected Captain. In 1877 he was chosen Lieutenant Colonel of the First Battalion of Infantry; and on the 10th day of December of that year he was commissioned, by Governor Vance, Brigadier-General and assigned to the command of the First Brigade, which position he held at the time of his death.

In these several positions he was always efficient, reliable and trustworthy. A skilful tactician, he handled his men and guns with precision and effect. He was cool, courageous and resolute, in a remarkable degree; and in action was wont to exhibit a daring that won for him an enviable reputation as a soldier. Throughout his whole life he displayed a most commendable spirit of patriotism, never wavering in his fealty to the State or faltering in the performance of public duty; and his honored name must be added now to the list of those devoted sons of North Carolina who were ever faithful to her both in time of war and in time of peace.

The Commander-in-Chief makes this announcement with unfeigned sorrow, and believes that the remembrance of General Manly's services, his gallantry in the field, his generous, kindly nature, and many virtues as soldier and civilian, will be long cherished by the officers and men of the State Guard.

In respect to his memory the usual badges of mourning will be worn for a period of thirty days.

By order of the Commander-in-Chief:

JOHNSTONE JONES,
Adjutant General.

NORTH CAROLINA,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT,
Raleigh, June 22d, 1882.

[GENERAL ORDERS, No. 64.]

Col. Richard D. Hancock, of the First Regiment, having been commissioned Brigadier-General of the First Brigade, North Carolina State Guard, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late General Basil C. Manly, is hereby assigned to the command of the First Military District, and will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By order of the Governor and Commander-in-Chief:

JOHNSTONE JONES,
Adjutant General N. C.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
OFFICE ADJUTANT GENERAL.
Raleigh, October 31st, 1882.

[GENERAL ORDERS, No. 65.]

I. The Hornet's Nest Riflemen, Company E, and the Charlotte Grays, Company F, of the Second Regiment; the Newbern Grays, Company B, and the

Elm City Riflemen, Company C, of the First Regiment, having disbanded and failed to comply with the law, will be stricken from the rolls of the State Guard, and the arms and accoutrements belonging to the State in their possession will be returned without delay to the ordnance officer at Raleigh, and all missing or destroyed property accounted for to him.

II. Companies that have heretofore been disbanded and have failed to turn in the State property intrusted to them, as directed, are again warned to do so at once, or their respective bondsmen will be proceeded against according to law.

III. The Sampson Light Infantry, Clinton, is hereby assigned to the Second Regiment as Company F, and the Reidsville Light Infantry to the Third Regiment as Company I.

IV. The Albemarle Guards and the Pasquotank Rifles are hereby transferred from the Third to the First Regiment, to take effect on and after December 7th proximo.

V. The Second Battalion will hereafter be known as the Fourth Regiment.

VI. The Mecklenburg Riflemen and the Polk Rifles are hereby transferred from the Second to the Fourth Regiment, and will retain their respective company letters; and Shoe Heel Rifles to Second Regiment, Company E.

VII. The Monroe Light Infantry is assigned to the Fourth Regiment as Company D.

By order of the Governor:

JOHNSTONE JONES,
Adjutant General N. C.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
OFFICE ADJUTANT GENERAL,
Raleigh, November 1st, 1882.

[GENERAL ORDERS, No. 66.]

I. In accordance with section six, chapter 366, Laws of 1881, which reads as follows:

"Field officers of battalions and regiments shall be elected biennially, on the first Thursday in December, by the written votes of the commissioned officers of the companies of the battalion or regiment, and at such places as may be designated by the Adjutant General,"

The commissioned officers of companies are hereby warned to appear on Thursday, the 7th day of December next, for the election of field officers for the ensuing two years, and at the following places:

First Regiment—Tarboro, Armory of the Edgecombe Guards.
Second Regiment—Wilmington, Armory of the Wilmington Light Infantry.
Third Regiment—Greensboro, Armory of the Guilford Grays.
Fourth Regiment—Charlotte, Central Hotel.
Fourth Battalion—Raleigh, Armory of the Oak City Blues.

II. Field officers will be elected as follows:

1st Regiment—Colonel, Lieutenant-Colonel and Major.
2d Regiment—Colonel, Lieutenant-Colonel and Major.
3d Regiment—Lieutenant-Colonel and Major.
4th Regiment—Lieutenant-Colonel and Major.
4th Battalion—Lieutenant-Colonel and Major.

III. Each commissioned officer in the respective regiments will be entitled to one vote, and may be represented by proxy in the elections above ordered.

The officers, upon assembling, will organize for business, the senior officer present to preside, a secretary to be elected by the body.

The names of the candidates for the position to be filled will then be put in nomination, and the members shall proceed to vote by ballot, the votes to be received and the names of the voters recorded in the usual way.

The candidate receiving a majority of all the votes cast shall then be declared elected, and the result of the said election shall be certified by the presiding officer and secretary of the meeting and transmitted to the office of the Adjutant General.

IV. The regiments as reorganized will be composed as follows:

FIRST REGIMENT.

Company A, Raleigh Light Infantry, Raleigh.
Company C, Albemarle Guards, Edenton.
Company D, Goldsboro Rifles, Goldsboro.
Company E, Orange Guards, Hillsboro.
Company F, Edgecombe Guards, Tarboro.
Company G, Washington Light Infantry, Washington.
Company H, Hamilton Guards, Hamilton.
Company I, Pasquotank Rifles, Elizabeth City.
Company K, Kinston Rifles, Kinston.

SECOND REGIMENT.

Company A, Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry, Fayetteville.
Company B, LaFayette Light Infantry, Fayetteville.
Company C, Wilmington Light Infantry, Wilmington.
Company D, Duplin Rifles, Kenansville.
Company E, Shoe Heel Rifles, Shoe Heel.
Company F, Sampson Light Infantry, Clinton.
Company G, Anson Guards, Polkton.
Company K, Anson Veterans, Wadesboro.

THIRD REGIMENT.

Company A, Winston Light Infantry, Winston.
Company D, Durham Light Infantry, Durham.
Company F, Guilford Grays, Greensboro.
Company H, Rockingham Guards, Leaksville.
Company I, Reidsville Light Infantry, Reidsville.

FOURTH REGIMENT.

Company A, Cleveland Guards, Shelby.
Company B, Southern Stars, Lincolnton.
Company C, Iredell Blues, Statesville.
Company D, Monroe Light Infantry, Monroe.
Company F, Salisbury Rifles, Salisbury.
Company H, Mecklenburg Riflemen, Sugar Creek.
Company I, Polk Rifles, Pineville.

FOURTH BATTALION—(COLORED.)

Company A, Oak City Blues, Raleigh.
Company C, Howard Light Infantry, Fayetteville.
Company E, Goldsboro Vance Guards, Goldsboro.
Company F, East Raleigh Guards, Raleigh.

Company G, Chowan Guards, Edenton.

V. All commissioned officers of companies in the several regiments above named will be entitled to vote in the election herein ordered.

By order of the Governor:

JOHNSTONE JONES,
Adjutant General N. C.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT,
Raleigh, December 27, 1882.

[GENERAL ORDERS, No. 67.]

I. At the elections held on the 7th instant, under General Orders heretofore published, the following persons were duly chosen Field Officers of the State Guard, to serve for the ensuing two years, and they will be obeyed and respected accordingly:

FIRST REGIMENT.

Colonel—John W. Cotten, Tarboro.
Lieutenant-Colonel—Haleot P. Jones, Hillsboro.
Major—D. N. Bogart, Washington.

SECOND REGIMENT.

Colonel—Albert H. Worth, Fayetteville.
Lieutenant-Colonel—James G. Kenan, Kenansville.
Major—E. F. McRae, Shoe Heel.

THIRD REGIMENT.

Lieutenant-Colonel—James D. Glenn, Leaksville.
Major—R. W. Foard, Greensboro.

FOURTH REGIMENT.

Lieutenant-Colonel—W. H. Fitzgerald, Monroe.
Major—J. A. Younts, Pineville.

FOURTH BATTALION.

Lieutenant-Colonel—Abram Holliday, Fayetteville.
Major—George L. Lane, Raleigh.

II. Each Company Commander is requested to furnish his Regimental Commander immediately with a complete roster of his company, a full report of its condition, the calibre and number of its arms, and the number and condition of the equipments in its possession.

III. All official communications from companies to brigades or State headquarters must be transmitted through the Regimental Commander; and communications from Field Officers to this office through brigade headquarters, except in cases of emergency.

By order of the Governor and Commander-in-Chief:

JOHNSTONE JONES.
Adjutant General N. C.

D.

LOCATION OF COMPANIES.

NAME OF PLACE.	COUNTY.	COMPANIES.
Raleigh	Wake	Company A.—First Regiment.
"	"	" A.—Fourth Battalion.
"	"	" F. " "
Edenton	Chowan	" C.—First Regiment.
"	"	" G.—Fourth Battalion.
Goldsboro	Wayne	" D.—First Regiment.
"	"	" E.—Fourth Battalion.
Fayetteville	Cumberland	" A.—Second Regiment.
"	"	" B. " "
"	"	" C.—Fourth Battalion.
Hillsboro	Orange	" E.—First Regiment.
Durham	Durham	" D.—Third "
Tarboro	Edgeeombe	" F.—First "
Washington	Beaufort	" G. " "
Hamilton	Martin	" H. " "
Elizabeth City	Pasquotauk	" I. " "
Kinston	Lenoir	" K. " "
Wilmington	New Hanover	" C.—Second "
Kenansville	Duplin	" D. " "
Shoe Heel	Robeson	" E. " "
Clinton	Sampson	" F. " "
Polkton	Anson	" G. " "
Wadesboro	"	" K. " "
Winston	Forsyth	" A.—Third "
Greensboro	Guilford	" F. " "
Leaksville	Rockingham	" H. " "
Reidsville	"	" I. " "
Shelby	Cleveland	" A.—Fourth "
Lincolnton	Lincoln	" B. " "
Statesville	Iredell	" C. " "
Monroe	Union	" D. " "
Salisbury	Rowan	" F. " "
Sugar Creek	Mecklenburg	" H. " "
Pineville	"	" I. " "

E.

ABSTRACT

OF

MUSTER-ROLLS FOR THE YEAR 1882.

FIRST BRIGADE.

FIRST REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.	Officers.	Enlisted Men.	Total.	REMARKS.
Field	3	.....	3	
Staff	5	.....	5	
Company A, Raleigh Light Infantry	3	35	38	Estimated.
" C, Albemarle Guards	3	32	35	"
" D, Goldsboro Rifles	3	32	35	"
" E, Orange Guards	3	32	35	"
" F, Edgecombe Guards	3	39	42	Company improving.
" G, Washington Light Infantry	3	32	35	Estimated.
" H, Hamilton Guards	4	32	36	"
" I, Pasquotank Rifles	3	35	38	"
" K, Kinston Rifles	3	34	37	"
Total	36	303	339	
THIRD REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.				
Field	2	.....	2	
Staff	.....	.....	.....	
Company A, Winston Light Infantry	4	35	39	Estimated.
" D, Durham Light Infantry	4	40	44	Condition good.
" F, Guilford Grays	3	33	36	Condition not good.
" H, Rockingham Guards	4	32	36	Estimated.
" I, Reidsville Light Infantry	4	36	40	Condition good.
Total	21	176	197	
Total First Brigade	57	479	536	

Abstract of Muster-Rolls—Continued.

SECOND BRIGADE.

SECOND REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.	Officers.	Enlisted Men.	Total.	REMARKS.
Field	3	.....	3	
Staff	5	.....	5	
Company A, Fayetteville Ind. Light Inf'try	5	51	56	Prosperous.
" B, LaFayette Light infantry	4	42	46	Estimated.
" C, Wilmington Light Infantry	3	47	50	"
" D, Duplin Rifles	4	36	40	"
" E, Shoe Heel Rifles	4	49	53	Condition fair.
" F, Sampson Light Infantry	3	35	38	Estimated.
" G, Anson Guards	3	32	35	"
" K, Anson Veterans	4	45	49	Condition tolerable.
Total	38	337	375	
FOURTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.				
Field	2	.....	2	
Staff	.....	.....	.....	
Company A, Cleveland Guards	4	30	34	Estimated.
" B, Southern Stars	4	43	47	Condition good.
" C, Iredell Blues	4	31	35	Estimated.
" D, Monroe Light Infantry	4	44	48	Condition good.
" F, Salisbury Rifles	3	32	35	Estimated.
" H, Mecklenburg Riflemen	3	32	35	"
" I, Polk Rifles	3	40	43	"
Total	25	252	277	
Total Second Brigade	63	589	652	

(UNATTACHED.)

FOURTH BATTALION—(COLORED.)	Officers.	Enlisted Men.	Total.	REMARKS.
Field	2	.....	2	
Staff	3	.....	3	
Company A, Oak City Blues	4	38	42	Estimated.
" C, Howard Light Infantry	4	37	41	"
" E, Goldsboro Vance Guards	3	32	35	"
" F, East Raleigh Guards	4	32	36	"
" G, Chowan Guards	4	42	46	Condition good.
Total	24	181	205	

Abstact of Muster-Rolls—Continued.

RECAPITULATION.

RECAPITULATION.		Officers.	Enlisted Men.	Total.
First Brigade	First Regiment	36	303	339
	Third Regiment	21	176	197
Second Brigade	Second Regiment	38	337	375
	Fourth Regiment	25	252	277
Fourth Battalion		24	181	205
Total		144	1,249	1,393

AGGREGATE.—General and Staff Officers, Headquarters	9
General and Staff Officers, Brigade	22
Commissioned Officers	144
Enlisted men	1,249
Grand total	1,424

F.

LINCOLNTON, N. C., December 29th, 1882.

GEN. JOHNSTONE JONES, *Adjutant General N. C.:*

SIR—I have the honor to report to you in person a full account of the recent riot, and of the services rendered by my company.

On Wednesday, December 13th, 1882, my company was summoned by the Sheriff of the county and the Marshal of the town, to aid in putting down a riot which was going on among a gang of railroad hands, employees of the Carolina Central Railway, who were strangers at this place and stationed here for the purpose of working on the road near here.

The day above mentioned being pay day, these negroes, having money, began to drink and insult any one who came near the depot, which resulted in their attacking two white men; the Marshal hearing of the affray got the Sheriff, and they hastened to the depot to put a stop to the disturbance. Upon arriving there, the negroes, thirty-five in number, swore that they would not be arrested and bade defiance to the officers. The Marshal, not fearing any real danger, walked immediately up to one of the men, whereupon the negro fired on him, and he only saved himself from a severe wound by knocking the pistol up; yet it was so near as to severely powder-burn his face.

These officers, seeing that they could not quell the disturbance without aid, at once summoned the "Southern Stars," through me; and I am proud to report that, in less than fifteen minutes, I was able to muster thirty-two men, and with these I hastened to the scene of action and, without firing a shot, arrested the whole party. The officers of the law then put several of the gang in jail and the others were released, we thinking that there was no further danger. As a precaution against further trouble, I detailed a guard of seven men to patrol the town, and gave the whole company instructions to hold themselves in readiness for a call at any moment. About five o'clock on the following morning firing commenced on the main street, and the company responded at once, and in a very short time twenty-five or thirty men reported for duty; but we did not find out the cause of the firing until the guard, who had done the firing, returned, and it was found that they had discovered one of this same band of men putting fire to the store of the Marshal, which is in a central part of the town, and but for the vigilance of the guard that whole part of the town would have been consumed.

That day, on the affidavit of several citizens, these negroes were ordered to be arrested under a peace warrant, and the Sheriff again summoned the company to aid in the arrest. I summoned the men quietly to meet at the armory of the company at 4½ o'clock, P. M., as the arrest was to be made just when the train came in from work.

With thirty-five men, I reported at the depot and placed myself and command under the orders of the Sheriff, and upon the arrival of the train we at once arrested thirty-one negroes and marched them to the jail and imprisoned them.

The company did guard duty until Monday night following, and the citizens thinking there was no further need of alarm, I dismissed the men, after congratulating them upon their prompt and quick attention to duty.

I beg leave to say, that while I report thirty-two to thirty-five for duty, that the other men who are members of my company would have responded just as

quickly, but they live in the country, and I did not think it necessary to call them in.

My company, I think, deserve praise for their promptness, and for their firmness and strict obedience to commands.

I am more thoroughly convinced now than ever before of the necessity of the State Guard.

Very truly,

M. HOKE,
Comm'dg S. S., Com. B, 4th Regt. N. C. S. G.

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THE MILITIA OF THE UNION.

On the 16th December, 1882, I addressed the following circular letter to the Adjutant Generals of all the States in the Union:

NORTH CAROLINA.
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT,
ASHEVILLE, December 16, 1882.

To the Adjutant General of the State of..... .....

DEAR SIR:—I have the honor to request that you send me your last published annual or biennial Report, and also a copy of the existing Militia Law of your State. Will you further favor me by responding at your earliest convenience to the following inquiries relative to the Militia of your State:

1. What is the actual strength of the active Militia?
2. What amount of money was expended by the State for the support and maintenance of the Militia during the last fiscal year?
3. Does the State furnish the troops with uniforms?
4. Is there any provision in the law for annual encampments; if so, what amount of money is appropriated for the purpose?
5. Does the State pay Armory rents of companies; if so, what sum is allowed for that purpose; the average per company and the aggregate amount?
6. What is the salary of the Adjutant General?

Your early attention to the above will greatly oblige

Your obedient Servant,

JOHNSTONE JONES,
Adjutant General of North Carolina.

I present the following replies to the several questions, arranged by States, as received:

1.—STATE OF NEW YORK.

1ST QUESTION. The National Guard (active Militia) of the State of New York on the 30th September, 1882, comprised 11,608 officers and men.

2. Three hundred thousand dollars was appropriated by the Legislature for the expenses of the National Guard, State of New York, for the fiscal year ending September 30th, 1883.

3. The State furnishes uniforms for new companies at an expense not to exceed $20 per man. After being once uniformed the State allows annually $8 per man for every enlisted man who has paraded seven different times during the year, four of which must have been parades of the whole organization, and to be used exclusively for providing uniforms and equipments.

4. Encampments are authorized by law, but no specific amount is appropriated. [Expenses paid out of the annual appropriation.]

5. The counties in which organizations are located provide armories at an expense not exceeding $500 for each company in cities, and $250 where not located in cities.
6. The salary of the Adjutant General is $3,000 per annum.

2.—RHODE ISLAND.

1. 108 officers, 815 enlisted men.
2. Twenty-three thousand dollars ($23,000).
3. The State furnishes each man with a uniform complete.
4. The law provides for five days camp duty in each year. No particular amount appropriated. Expenses paid out of the annual appropriation.
5. The State pays to each company $100 for armory rent. Total amount $2,100.
6. Six hundred dollars ($600).

3.—SOUTH CAROLINA.

1. 5,179 officers and men, (colored 1,111, white 4,068).
2. $12,000 for companies to uniform, &c., and $2,000 for miscellaneous purposes.
3. No. The $12,000 alluded to above was for assisting companies to uniform themselves and otherwise keep up their organization and was the first assistance ever given them.
4. None.
5. No. All expenses borne by companies.
6. Adjutant General's salary $1,500. Clerk $1,200.

4.—MARYLAND.

1. Two thousand.
2. Twelve thousand dollars, ($12,000).
3. Yes.
4. No provision for encampment.
5. One hundred dollars per annum per company.
6. $1,500.

5.—DELAWARE.

1. "One regiment of six companies, 350 men all told."
2. "Twelve hundred dollars ($1,200)."
3. "It does not."
4. "There is none."
5. "The State appropriated $1,200 to be divided among the six companies, they paying their own armory rent," &c.
6. "Two hundred dollars ($200)."

6.—PENNSYLVANIA.

1. 584 commissioned officers, 7,636 enlisted men
2. Two hundred and twenty thousand dollars ($220,000).
3. See section 53, Military Code, p. 26. A special appropriation in 1879 of one hundred and sixty thousand dollars ($160,000) equipped the Guard in great coats, blankets, haversacks, meat-cans, &c.
4. Yes. See Military Code, sec. 48.
5. One hundred and two hundred dollars annually per company according as population of rendezvous is above or below 15,000.
6. Twenty-five hundred dollars ($2,500.)

7.—NEW JERSEY.

1. 3,220 officers and men.
2. $63,842.29 is the amount of money expended this year for the support of the National Guard.
3. The State furnishes the money to pay one-half the expense of the uniforms of the men.
4. Encampments are ordered by law at the option of the Governor. Appropriations are not made for the purpose. The Governor may expend such amount as he thinks proper to carry out the intention of the law.
5. The State gives $500 per annum per company in lieu of pay, armory rent &c. We have fifty companies.
6. The salary of the Adjutant General is $1,200 per annum, with two assistants at $2,500 per annum.

CONNECTICUT.

1. 2,367 officers and men.
2. Ninety-five thousand dollars ($95,000.)
3. Yes. Dress uniform, fatigue uniform, overcoats, knapsacks and blankets.
4. Yes. Whole force encamped every year. No special appropriation. [Expense paid out of the general appropriation.]
5. Yes. About $20,000 annually. Armory rents run from $200 to $600 each, according to location.
6. Adjutant General $1,200. Assistant Adjutant General $1,800.

MASSACHUSETTS.

1. 4,770 officers and men.
2. About $144,000.
3. Yes, both dress and fatigue, and over-coats.
4. Yes, expense included in amount given in reply to query 2.
5. Yes, $400 for each infantry company, $600 for cavalry or artillery; and $200 for each headquarters. See sections 92 to 99 of Militia Law.
6. $2,500. See section 13, Law.

MAINE.

1. Active, 72 officers and 913 enlisted men. Reserve, 58 officers and 606 enlisted men.
2. $15,896.78.
3. Yes, active militia.
4. We have encampments of five days. All expenses of the militia are governed by Art. xvii, section 178, of Militia Law.
5. $100 each.
6. $900.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

1. 127 commissioned officers, 1,263 enlisted men. Total 1,390.
2. The regular appropriation is $25,000; and a special appropriation of $10,000, for camp and garrison equipage.
3. It does.
4. There is. The expense is paid out of the regular appropriation.
5. $100 to each company of infantry; and $150 to platoons of artillery and com-

panies of cavalry, per annum; $75 to bands, and $100 to Regimental Headquarters.

6. $1,000 per annum.

VERMONT.

1. 641 men.

2. No specific sum. Certain things are ordered done, and the Treasury is drawn on to pay the bills.

3. Yes, the greater part; companies have contributed more or less to secure extra and better ones.

4. The law provides for annual encampments, not to exceed eight days. State pays $2.00 per day to each man.

5. State pays armory rents, and these average about $150 per company, say $1,800 per year for all.

6. $750.00.

WEST VIRGINIA.

1. About 500.

2. None.

3. It does not.

4. None.

5. It does not.

6. $1,100 (with office of State Librarian thrown in).

OHIO.

1. 5,875 on November 15th, 1882.

2. Total appropriation for year ending November 15, 1882, $73,800.00.

3. A service uniform, cost not to exceed $12.00 each.

4. Yes. Transportation and subsistence, $14,000.00; pay of troops, $25,000.00; incidental expenses, horse hire, &c., $8,700.00.

5. Municipal corporations pay rent of armories, &c., for organizations of Ohio National Guard.

6. Adjutant General, $2,000.00; Assistant Adjutant General, $1,500.00.

WISCONSIN.

1. 2,447 officers and men.

2. $31,252.03.

3. No. Pays annually $5.00 per man at inspection, for uniform fund of companies.

4. State pays transportation, furnishes tents and camp equipage, and pays $1.00 per day per man for subsistence, &c.

5. $300.00 to each company annually; $9.900.00 for 1882.

6. $500.00, and ten cents per mile for traveling expenses.

MISSOURI.

1. 2,089, rank and file.

2. Not a dollar.

3. No.

4. No.

5. No.

6. $2,000 per annum; Clerk, $1,500; Contingent expenses, $4,000.

KANSAS.

1. 1,200 officers and men.
2. None.
3. No.
4. Yes; no money.
5. No.
6. $1,500 per annum, with $300 contingent.

COLORADO.

1. 1,050 officers and men.
2. About $16,000.
3. Yes.
4. Yes, but no appropriation.
5. Yes, and the rents range from $25 to $200 per month.
6. $1,200.

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